

Funding Services

Funding for the cost of home modifications, technology, or services needed by consumers who experience a disability are provided by numerous programs. The guidelines and eligibility requirements of those programs vary widely and are often overlooked as potential resources for those who are unfamiliar with how to access them.

The Assistive Technology Partnership's Resource Specialist will research the various programs across the state to determine a person's potential eligibility for funding assistance.

The Process

1. Complete the attached application form. It is used to gather information about the services and/or devices needed.
2. Return the completed and signed form to:

**Assistive Technology Partnership
3901 N. 27th Street, Suite 5
Lincoln, NE 68521**

This form is fillable for print purposes only. This form can be completed and printed; however, this form cannot be submitted electronically and any information you add to this form cannot be saved

3. The Resource Specialist will use the application information to identify the program(s) that are potential resources to cover or supplement the cost of the technology or services needed by the applicant.
 4. The applicant will be notified of eligibility, and any necessary referrals will be made to the appropriate specialist, program, or service. This process takes about two weeks, but in some instances it may take longer.
 5. The application and release is valid for **one year** duration from date of signature.
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Please note: Since funding is limited, eligibility does not always guarantee that funds will be available.

**For more information on funding, call:
Assistive Technology Partnership
Toll Free 888.806.6287**

Service and Device Application (Multi-Agency Form)

Date _____

Applicant Information

Last **First** **Middle Initial**

☐ Male ☐ Female

Social Security Number

____/____/____ (mm/dd/yyyy)

Date of birth

United States Citizenship Attestation

For the purpose of complying with Neb. Rev. State. §§ 4-108 through 4-114, I attest as follows:

☐ I am a citizen of the United States
or

☐ I am a qualified alien under the federal Immigration and Nationality Act, my immigration status and alien number are as follows:

Address

City/State/Zip Code

County

(____)_____
Home Phone

(____)_____
Cell Phone/Work Phone

Email

Person completing form

Name

Relationship to Applicant

Address

City/State/Zip Code

(____)_____
Phone Number

Email

☐ Permission given by applicant for agencies to communicate with person assisting with form
____ Initials of applicant

Referral source (if applicable)

Agency/Organization

Address

City/State/Zip

(____)_____
Phone

Email

Services Coordinator

Name/Agency

Phone (____)_____

Disability (List any medical, mental, or developmental impairments)

What services or devices are you requesting that would help keep your daily activities safe and independent?

| Services/Devices | Estimated Cost |
|------------------|----------------|
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| Other Services and Equipment Requested | Estimated Cost |
|---|----------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Home Modifications | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Attendant | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Housekeeping Services | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Special Equipment/Assistive Device | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Vehicle Modifications* * Title of vehicle in applicant's name <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | |

Housing (Check all that apply)

- ☐ Home owner
☐ Renter
☐ Mobile Home-permanent foundation ☐ yes ☐ no
☐ Nursing home
☐ Foster Home/adult family home
☐ Group home/community residence
☐ Living with adult/adult children
☐ Homeless
☐ Other _____

Community Assistance Received

(Check all that apply)

- ☐ League of Human Dignity/Barrier Removal Program.
☐ Housing & Urban Development/Section 203
☐ Making Homes Accessible (MHA)
☐ Rural Development, Section 502
☐ Rural Development, Section 504
☐ Weatherization

Health Insurance

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Pending

☐ Health Insurance Policy

Specify _____

☐ Medicaid/Medical Assistance

☐ Medicare

Veteran Status

Are you a Veteran?

☐ yes ☐ no

Assistance

Check any of the following that have provided assistance to you during the past year:

- ☐ Area Agency on Aging
☐ Hotline for Disability Services
☐ Independent Living Center
☐ Nebraska Assistive Technology Partnership
☐ Nebraska Commission for the Blind and Visually Impaired
☐ Nebraska Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing
☐ Nebraska Health and Human Services
☐ Aid to Aged, Blind, and Disabled
☐ Developmental Disabilities
☐ Disabled Person and Family Support
☐ Medicaid Waiver
☐ Medically Handicapped Children Program
☐ Social Services Block Grant
☐ United Cerebral Palsy of Nebraska
☐ Nebraska VR (Vocational Rehabilitation)
☐ Other _____

| Expenses Related to Disability (e.g., medication, doctor bills, transportation special equipment) | Amount |
|---|--------|
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Household members

| Name | Relationship | Date of birth | State ward | Disabled |
|------|--------------|---------------|------------|----------|
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Financial Information

List the amount of income you receive from each of the sources below. Single adults (19 years of age or older with no minor children) should list only your income. Families should list income of married couples or income of all adults, including wages of children ages 14-18.

| Gross Income (before deductions) | Amount | How often received | Who receives it |
|--|--------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Wages, overtime, bonuses, commissions, etc | | | |
| Self-employment (use current IRS 1040) | | | |
| Interest dividends, money from investments and capital gains | | | |
| Social Security Disability | | | |
| Social Security Income (SSI) | | | |
| Social Security Retirement | | | |
| Veteran's Benefits | | | |
| Pensions | | | |
| Retirement, Keogh Accounts, IRA's, etc. | | | |
| Inheritance, estates, trust funds, etc | | | |
| Aid to Aged, Blind, and Disabled (State Supplemental Check) | | | |
| Temporary Need for Need Families (TANF) | | | |
| Alimony/Child Support | | | |
| Compensation (workers and unemployment) | | | |
| Rental Income | | | |
| Other (insurance settlements, lottery winnings) Please describe | | | |

Assets

List all assets (e.g., cash, checking accounts, stocks, bonds, whole life insurance, certificates of deposit, farmland, etc.)

| Type | Amount |
|------|--------|
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Release/Agreement Form

I verify that the information provided on this application is correct and complete.

I understand that whenever changes occur in the information provided, I need to report them immediately to the agency/agencies helping me with this request.

I understand I have the right to appeal if I am not satisfied with an agency's action.

I understand that this is a **multi-agency form**. The agencies/programs listed below may contact each other to determine my financial eligibility for their programs, and may verify my need of the support for which I have applied. I authorize the release of this information to be used for referrals/services for which it is determined I may be eligible. It is my understanding that this information will be held confidential by all the agencies listed.

- Client Assistance Program
- Hotline for Disability Services
- Independent Living Centers
- Muscular Dystrophy Association
- Disability Rights Nebraska
- Nebraska Assistive Technology Partnership
- Nebraska Assistive Technology Partnership-Education
- Nebraska ChildFind
- Nebraska Commission for the Blind and Visually Impaired
- Nebraska Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing
- League of Human Dignity
- FCC for iCanConnect Program
- Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services
- Easter Seals Nebraska
- Nebraska Department of Veterans' Affairs, Nebraska Veterans' Aid Fund
- Nebraska Housing Developers Association and Home Owners Program
- Paralyzed Veterans of America Education Center
- Rebuilding Together
- Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)
- The Arc of Nebraska
- United Cerebral Palsy of Nebraska
- US Department of Agriculture (USDA)
- Nebraska VR
- Other _____

Information may be released and shared on my behalf with the following family members and individuals:

I hereby attest that my response and the information provided on this form and any related application for public benefits are true, complete, and accurate and I understand that this information may be used to verify my lawful presence in the United States.

Signature of applicant (or guardian)

Date

Application and release is valid for **one year** duration from date of signature

Ethnicity/race (please check)

The following information is being requested for Federal reporting purposes only. Your response is optional and will not affect your eligibility determination. We would appreciate your assistance by providing a response.

- ☐ White (non-hispanic) ☐ Black (non hispanic) ☐ American Indian/Alaskan Native ☐ Asian/Pacific Islander
☐ Latino ☐ Multi-Racial ☐ Other _____

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If you have questions about this form, call:
Lincoln (402) 471-0734 or
Toll Free (888-806-6287)